Urdu

Alphabet

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Consonant.

k	q	kh	g	c̣	c̣h	gh	c	ch	j
z	ź	jh	ṭ	ṭh	ḍ	ḍh	t	th	d
dh	n	p	ph	f	b	bh	m	y(ï)(i)	r
ṙ	l	v(ü)(u)	ś	ẓ	ṣ	s	ṡ	h	x
ḥ	ṃ								

Vowel. (unpointed).

{a ā i e o au}

Vowel. (pointed)

{a ā i ī u ū e o ai au}

Example. [ālo] (m) (potato); [ammāṃ] (f) (mother) [address]; [bacapan] (m) (childhood); [baccah] (m) (male child); [bacci] (f) (female child); [bad] (adj) (bad); [bah] (adj) (good); [banadah] (n) (slave); [banadagi] (f) (slavery); [bāp] (m) (father) [address]; [baṙahāpā] (m) (old age); [bhā'o] (m) (market price); [caṙā] (m) (male sparrow); [caṙayā] (f) (bird); [cohā] (n) (mouse); [cohedān] (n) (mouse trap); [c̣abādatagāh] (f) (place of worship); [dafac̣ah] (f) (time); [dalacasap] (adj) (interesting); [dasat] (n) (hand); [dasatakār] (m) (f) (artisan); [davā] (f) (medicine); [dosat] (n) (friend); [dosati] (f) (friendship); [ḍākaṭar] (m) (f) (doctor); [ḍāko] (m) (robber); [gal] (n) (rose); [galazār] (n) (rose garden); [ganāh] (n) (sin); [ganāhagār] (n) (sinner); [garam] (adj) (hot); [garami] (f) (heat); [ghabarāhaṭ] (f) (confusion); [ghanaṭā] (hour); [ghar] (m) (house); [havā] (f) (wind) (air); [hoś] (n) (senses); [hośayār] (adj) (careful) (vigilant); [ḥamalah] (m) (attack); [ḥayā] (f) (modesty); [ḥaẓarat] (m) (lord) (sir) (master); [ḥiṡit] (f) (status) (capacity); [jādo] (n) (magic); [jādogar] (n) (magician); [jagah] (f) (place); [jahāz] (n) (ship); [jahāzi] (m) (sailor); [jasam] (body); [kabir] (adj) (big), [elat] (akabar); [kam] (adj) (less) (few); [kām] (m) (work); [kamarā] (n) (room); [kano'iṃ] (m) (well); [karam] (kindness); [kaṡir] (adj) (abundant), [elat] (akaṡar) (usually) (often); [katāb] (f) (book); [lambā] (adj) (long); [lambā'i] (f) (length); [laṙakā] (m) (boy); [laṙakapan] (m) (boyhood) (childishness); [laṙaki] (f) (girl); [mabārak] (adj) (blessed) (fortunate); [mabārakabād] (blessing) (congratulation); [maharabāni] (kindness); [māṃ] (f) (mother) [address]; [marac̣hā] (m) (rooster); [marac̣hi] (f) (hen); [miz] (f) (table); [mizabān] (n) (host); [navāzaś] (kindness); [pahāṙ] (n) (mountain); [pahāṙi] (f) (small hill); [pākasatān] (m) (Pakistan); [pāni] (m) (water); [patā] (n) (address); [qaṣṣah] (m) (story); [qimat] (f) (price); [rakāvaṭ] (f) (obstacle); [rahā'aś] (residence); [rig] (n) (sand); [rigasatān] (m) (sandy desert); [ropayah] (m) (rupee) (money); [salā'i] (f) (seam) (sewing); [salanā] (vb) (be sewn); [śakarayah] (thank you); [tac̣allaq] (connection); [takalif] (f) (trouble) [vb.n]; [taṣavir] (f) (picture) [vb.n]; [tiz] (adj) (sharp) (fast); [ṫālabah] (f) (female student); [vāladah] (f) (mother); [xākanā'e] (f) (isthmus); [xāṣ] (adj) (special); [xarāb] (adj) (bad); [xob] (adj) (well); [zanadah] (adj) (alive); [zanadagi] (f) (life)

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